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- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 870.**

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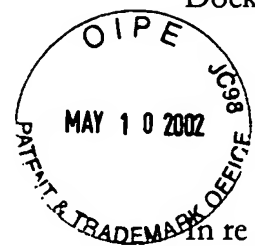
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Sir:

In reply to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application dated **April 10, 2002**, submitted herewith are the following documents for filing in the above-referenced application:

1. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
2. Copy of Form PTO-1533 (Notice of Missing Parts).
3. Filing Fee of **\$740.00**
4. Surcharge of **\$130.00**.
5. Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet, and fee.

A check in the amount of **\$870.00** for 3-4 indicated above (Check #5360) is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$40.00 (Check # 5361), representing the recordation fee for the Assignment is enclosed.

It is requested that an Official Filing Receipt showing the data contained herewith now be issued.

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